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Sir:

Authorization is hereby requested to amend Figures 3and 4B as indicated in red on the attached sheet. Approval of this change is respectfully requested.

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